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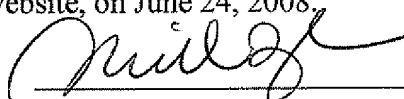
In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following reference, which is also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,554,512 A, dated September 10, 1996, issued to Lyman, et al.;
2. PCT International Publication No. WO 02/080952 A, published October 17, 2002;

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3. PCT International Publication No. WO 03/089602 A, published October 30, 2003;
4. PCT International Publication No. WO 03/078573 A, published September 25, 2003;
5. Japanese Patent Application Publication No. JP A 2003-277289, dated October 2, 2003; and
6. Clare-Salzler, M.J., et al., "Prevention of Diabetes in Nonobese Diabetic Mice by Dendritic Cell Transfer", *J. Clinical Investigations* 90: 741-748 (1992).

The references were cited in a Supplementary European Search Report dated April 9, 2008. Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a)(2)(i) and (ii), together with a copy of the Search Report. The relevance of the above-identified references has been described in the Search Report.

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